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ROUND HILL TULIP COLLECTION

50 Tulips 10 bulbs each
of 5 varieties **\$4.95**

(\$6.50 value)

EACH VARIETY LABELED

- 10 Eclipse. Red.
- 10 Mrs. John T. Scheepers. Chrome-yellow.
- 10 Duke of Wellington. White.
- 10 Pride of Zwanenburg. Salmon-pink.
- 10 The Bishop. Violet-blue.

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McArdle's Bulb Book

• FALL 1953 •

Fall is the Best Time to Sow Grass Seed—Aug. 15 to Oct. 15



Cool Weather, Plenty of Moisture, Less Weeds Make Fall Seeding Best.

SCOTTS LAWN CARE PRODUCTS

Scotts Lawn Seed

This is a top-quality blend of grasses for open, sunny or lightly shaded lawns. If you are building a new lawn, sow Scotts Seed at the rate of 4 to 6 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. If you already have a lawn but want to improve it, sow 2 or 3 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft., depending on the present stand of grass. To sow 2 lbs. Scotts Lawn Seed per 1000 sq. ft., the proper scale setting on your Scott Spreaders is No. 6. To sow 4 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft., the proper scale setting is No. 8.

1-lb. box.....	\$1 85	25-lb. bag.....	\$43 75
5-lb. box.....	8 95	100 lbs. (25-lb. bags).....	172 50

Scotts Special-Purpose Lawn Seed

Still highly recommended for shady locations, also for sowing on poor, dry soils, terraces, and playgrounds. To sow 2 lbs. Scotts Special-Purpose Lawn Seed per 1000 sq. ft., the proper scale setting on your Scott Spreaders is No. 11. To sow 4 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft., the proper scale setting is No. 15. To sow 6 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft., the proper scale setting is No. 19.

1-lb. box.....	\$1 35	25-lb. bag.....	\$32 00
5-lb. box.....	6 65	100 lbs. (25-lb. bags).....	125 00

Scotts Turf Builder

This special grass food does not harm seeds, so it is not necessary to delay seeding. For new lawns use 20 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. Use 10 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. when feeding an established lawn. To apply 10 lbs. Turf Builder per 1000 sq. ft., the proper scale setting on your Scott Spreaders is No. 8. To apply 20 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft., the proper scale setting is No. 12. Hot-weather scale setting is No. 6.

10 lbs.....	\$1 35	50 lbs.....	\$3 95	500 lbs.....	\$35 00
25 lbs.....	2 50	100 lbs.....	7 85	2000 lbs.....	125 00

Scotts Pest Control

This is a multiple-action preparation to keep in check beetle grubs, chinch bugs, ants and other insect pests. It is non-poisonous and is easily applied with a Scott Spreader. The proper scale setting to apply Scotts Pest Control is No. 4.

Small pkg, treats 500 sq. ft.	\$0 95	Bag, treats 11,000 sq. ft.	\$12 75
Large pkg, treats 2500 sq. ft.	3 50	10 bags, treats 2½ acres.....	107 50

Grass Mixtures for Sunny Places

Turf-Maker

Highest quality lawn seed available anywhere. Blended to produce fine permanent lawns. Contains Certified Colonial Bent, Creeping Red Fescue, heavyweight Kentucky Blue Grass and Fancy Red Top. Lb. \$1.80, 3 lbs. \$5.30, 5 lbs. \$8.70, 25 lbs. \$42.75, 50 lbs. \$84.00.

McARDLE'S Special. Our own special mixture particularly adapted to soil conditions in this locality. Possesses exceptional staying qualities and produces a rich green lawn. Lb. \$1.50, 5 lbs. \$6.95, 25 lbs. \$33.50, 100 lbs. \$130.00.

Sunilawn. Although Sunilawn has a rougher texture than the higher-priced mixtures, we consider it very practical. It grows well under rough soil conditions and contains white clover, which we highly recommend. Lb. \$1.25, 5 lbs. \$5.85, 25 lbs. \$28.75, 100 lbs. \$110.00.

Grass Mixtures for Shady Places

Turf-Maker

The perfect companion for Turf-Maker. Blended of the finest shade-tolerant grasses. Contains Creeping Red Fescue, Poa trivialis, Cheeping Fescue and Fancy Red Top. Lb. \$1.80, 3 lbs. \$5.30, 5 lbs. \$8.70, 25 lbs. \$42.75, 50 lbs. \$84.00.

FOR SHADE

McARDLE'S Shady. Another one of our special mixtures particularly adapted to shady areas in this vicinity. Contains Fescue, Kentucky Blue Grass and Rye Grass. Lb. \$1.50, 5 lbs. \$6.95, 25 lbs. \$33.50, 100 lbs. \$130.00.

Town of Greenwich Mixture for Sun or Shade

Same formula that is used in the beautiful parks of the Town of Greenwich. Because of its high fescue content it is adaptable to shade as well as sun. It is especially good to fight crabgrass. This grass mixture was first offered by us two years ago, and the resulting turf was outstanding. All who tried it were very much satisfied. The best grass is the least expensive when you consider the high cost of reseeding and renovating. Lb. \$1.60, 5 lbs. \$7.75, 25 lbs. \$38.00, 100 lbs. \$150.00.



GRUBS OF JAPANESE BEETLE

Damaged turf appears to be suffering from lack of water, turns brown in irregular patches. The grass is severed at roots and can be peeled off. Use Scotts Pest Control to kill these grubs.



Turf-Maker Lawn Food.

F. H. Woodruff & Sons have found that an analysis of 10-6-4 feeds grass properly throughout the growing season. Nitrogen, the fertilizer element that induces luscious green leaf growth, predominates in this fertilizer. One pound of Turf-Maker Lawn Food is required for each 100 sq. ft. of lawn area, or 500 lbs. per acre. A fertilizer distributor will do an even, economical job. 25 lbs. \$2.20, 50 lbs. \$3.90.

WINTERIZE YOUR GARDEN

SALT HAY

Salt Hay is widely used as a winter covering for plants, swimming pools and tennis courts. It is best put on after the soil freezes. Large bale, \$3.95.

BURLAP

For winter protection of less hardy plants

10-oz. material, about 100 yards per bolt.
Natural color.

40 in. wide

60 in. wide

48 in. wide

72 in. wide

Prices quoted on request due to unsettled market conditions.

BOVUNG COW MANURE

Valued because it provides not only plant food but also organic matter. It is a natural plant food for lawns, flowers, shrubs, trees and vegetables. For lawns and flower gardens use 50 lbs. for 500 sq. ft. Will not burn. For vegetable gardens use 50 lbs. for 400 sq. ft. 5 lbs. 60c, 10 lbs. \$1.00, 25 lbs. \$1.60, 50 lbs. \$2.70, 500 lbs. \$25.00.

PEAT MOSS, Horticultural

This granulated type is ideal for mulching rhododendrons and azaleas for winter protection. One large bale will cover approximately 300 sq. ft., 1 inch deep. Baby bale, \$2.50. Handy bale, a size between the baby bale and the super bale, \$3.95. Large super bale, \$5.50; 3 large super bales, \$15.50. 10 large super bales, \$47.50.

10,000 SPRING - FLOWERING BULBS

FOR THE TOWN OF GREENWICH

This Fall McArdle's are donating 10,000 Spring Flowering Bulbs to the Town of Greenwich. 8,500 Tulips will again be planted in Bruce Park, and 1,500 Daffodils will be planted at the Post Office Plaza. They will be planted under the supervision of Joseph Dietrich, Superintendent of Parks. Be sure to visit Bruce Park next Spring when they are in bloom (approximately May 15th). There will be 50 varieties in the Park, and it will be an opportunity to select your favorite varieties for planting at your own home next Fall.

The Daffodils will be in bloom at the Greenwich Post Office approximately about April 15th. There will be six varieties including Golden Harvest, the biggest Daffodil of them all, Mount Hood, a pure white Daffodil, Mrs. R. O. Backhouse, the pink Daffodil, Princess Beatrix, a new and rare Daffodil with a white perianth and a large red trumpet, also Tunis which is a pure Ivory White type. Included also in the planting will be the popular variety, Geranium, which is a clustered type of Narcissus.

This Fall Plant These Two Beautiful Lilies in Your Garden



MADONNA LILY. September delivery. The bulbs should be covered with 2 or 3 inches of soil. They will make 6 or 8 inches of top growth in the fall. After the ground freezes, cover the tops with salt hay. Bloom in June, attaining a height of 3 to 4 feet.

Jumbo bulbs, 3 for \$1.75, \$5.95 per doz.



DUTCH IRIS

For something different and altogether beautiful try some Dutch Iris. Plant 4 to 5 inches deep. They may be grown indoors as well as outdoors.

Golden Harvest. Golden yellow; fragrant. 95¢ per doz., \$6.00 per 100.

Imperator. Dark purple-lilac. 95¢ per doz., \$6.00 per 100.

White Excelsior. Pure white; fragrant. 95¢ per doz., \$6.00 per 100.

HYACINTHS

BLOOM IN LATE APRIL
RICH IN FRAGRANCE

Hyacinth bulbs should be spaced 10 inches apart and planted 5 to 6 inches deep. Ideal for the formal garden, they also can be planted informally in groups in the perennial border or in the foreground of the shrub border. They will scent the spring garden as no other early-flowering plant can do.

Blue Champion. Medium blue.

City of Haarlem. Yellow.

King of the Blues. Dark rich blue.

La Victoire. Red.

L'Innocence. White.

Myosotis. Forget-me-not-blue.

Pink Pearl. Pink.

Any of above

Exhibition Size. Especially adapted for show gardens, greenhouses and indoor use. \$4.00 per doz., \$28.00 per 100.

Large Bedding Size. For outdoor garden use. \$2.00 per doz., \$14.00 per 100



BELLE HAVEN HYACINTH COLLECTION

25 Hyacinths 5 bulbs each of 5 varieties illustrated above **\$3.95** (\$4.50 value)

EACH VARIETY LABELED

5 King of the Blues.

5 City of Haarlem. Yellow.

5 L'Innocence. White.

5 Pink Pearl.

5 La Victoire. Red.

REGAL LILY. October delivery. Plant bulbs 6 inches deep. Bloom in July. 4 feet high.

Jumbo bulbs, 3 for \$1.75, \$5.95 per doz.

KING ALFRED DAFFODILS as shown in background of Hyacinth illustration above, \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100

Enjoy These Early Spring Flowers in the Rock Garden



CROCUS

SPRING-BLOOMING CROCUS

Bloom in March. Can be planted in lawns, borders or in the rock garden. Plant 3 inches deep.

Top-Sized Bulbs

Mammoth Yellow. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.
Light Blue. 75c per doz., \$5.50 per 100.
Purple. 75c per doz., \$5.50 per 100.
Snowstorm. 95c per doz., \$7.00 per 100.
Striped. 95c per doz., \$7.00 per 100.
Red. 60c per doz., \$4.00 per 100.



LEUCOJUM VERNUM (Spring Snowflake). Blooms late April. Grows 1 foot high. Similar to Snowdrops, but larger and more showy. Plant the bulbs 2 inches deep. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.



GRAPE HYACINTHS, BLUE

Grows 6 inches high. Plant the bulbs 2 inches deep. An ideal combination with daffodils. 45c per doz., \$3.00 per 100

GRAPE HYACINTHS, WHITE

Make a lovely combination with the blue grape hyacinths. 45c per doz., \$3.00 per 100.

Order early to be sure of the best.



SCILLA CAMPANULATA (Bluebells)

Grows 18 inches high. Plant the bulbs 5 inches deep. Especially good when planted with azaleas. May blooming. 50c per doz., \$3.50 per 100.



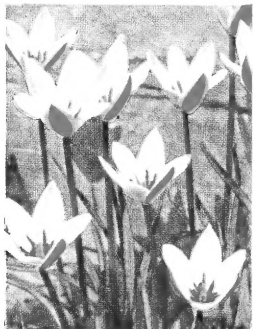
CHIONODOXA LUCILLÆ (Glory-of-the-Snow)

Grows 5 inches high. 40c per doz., \$3.00 per 100.

Plant These Early Spring Flowers in Groups in the Perennial Border



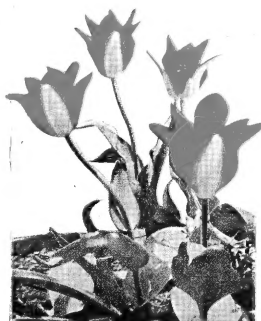
LYCORIS (Hardy Amaryllis)
Plant 4 inches deep, 3 or more in a group. Grows 2 to 3 feet tall. 3 for \$1.25, \$4.50 per doz.



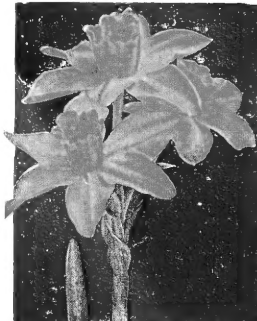
BOTANICAL TULIP CLUSIANA
8 in. The Candystick Tulip. Blooms in April. Plant the bulbs 6 inches deep. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.



BOTANICAL TULIP KAUFMANNIANA
8 in. The Waterlily Tulip. Blooms in April after Clusiana. \$2.25 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.



BOTANICAL TULIP EICHLERI
15 in. Blooms in April. \$1.00 per doz., \$7.00 per 100.



MINIATURE DAFFODIL JONQUIL, SINGLE SIMPLEX
12 inches high. Three or four miniature Daffodils arranged on a stem in a cluster. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.



MERTENSIA VIRGINICA (Virginia Bluebells)
18 in. Blooms with the daffodils. \$2.75 per doz., \$20.00 per 100



GALANTHUS (Snowdrops)
Grows 6 inches high. Blooms February and March, often appearing before all the snow has gone. Along a walk or under shrubs Snowdrops will soon feel at home. Plant them 3 inches deep. 75c per doz., \$5.00 per 100.



SCILLA SIBIRICA (Blue Squills).
Grows 5 inches high. 60c per doz., \$4.00 per 100.

COLLECTION ROCK-GARDEN BULBS

96 bulbs

(12 each of 8 kinds)

\$4.75 value

\$3.95

- 12 Crocus, Mixed
- 12 Scilla campanulata, Mixed
- 12 Snowdrops
- 12 Chionodoxa Luciliae
- 12 Botanical Tulips, Eichleri
- 12 Grape Hyacinths, Blue
- 12 Grape Hyacinths, White
- 12 Scilla sibirica

McArdle's Tulips Are Especially Grown in Holland

Only the Best for Bigger and Better Blooms

COTTAGE TULIPS (Bloom in May)

The flowers of the Cottage Tulips are, as a rule, larger than the Darwin or the Breeder. The petals are usually pointed, and many of the Cottage varieties are fragrant. Their colors are delicate and soft, and the stems do not attain the height that the Breeders and the Darwins do.

ADVANCE. 32 in. Extra-large, scarlet-cerise with a black base. As the name implies, it blooms in advance of other varieties. Flowers as early as May 1, \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

CARRARA. 22 in. Pure white, with yellow anthers. Excellent for cutting because of its good keeping quality. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

GLORY OF HOLLAND. 28 in. Deep yellow with bright red margin. Will flower for several years without needing to have the bulbs disturbed and will naturalize very readily in comparison to other Tulips. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

INSURPASSABLE.
\$1.50 per doz.,
\$10.00 per 100.

ADVANCE.
\$1.80 per doz.,
\$12.00 per 100

**PURPLE
PERFECTION.**
\$1.35 per doz.,
\$9.00 per 100

GOLDEN HARVEST.
\$1.10 per doz.,
\$7.50 per 100.

MARSHALL HAIG.
\$1.50 per doz.,
\$10.00 per 100.

MARJORIE BOWEN. A very unusual shade—a combination of buff and salmon which passes to deep rose-pink with salmon shading. Large, well-formed flower, borne on a fine strong stem. \$1.30 per doz., \$8.40 per 100.

MARSHALL HAIG. 28 in. A most brilliant scarlet with the interior of the flower yellow at the base. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

MOTHER'S DAY. 28 in. Pale yellow. An improvement on Moonlight. In Greenwich last spring this variety flowered on Mother's Day. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS. 28 in. Extra-large, chrome-yellow, oblong flowers. Very good for growing in pots for exhibition purposes. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

NORTHERN QUEEN. 26 in. The extra-large flowers make it worthy of recognition. Soft cream color with a clear margin of salmon-pink. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

OSSI OSWALDA. 28 in. A lovely, creamy white flushed pink. \$1.30 per doz., \$8.40 per 100.

Five New Giant Modern Breeder Tulips

BREEDER TULIPS (Bloom in May)

Breeder Tulips grow exceptionally tall and are generally of subdued colors, such as bronze, copper, apricot, orange, and violet.

DILLENBURG. 28 in. Perfect, glowing salmon-orange blooms. The Breeder sister of Dido. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

GEORGES GRAPPE. 30 in. A lovely tall lavender bloom with strong upright stems. Flower is exceptionally large in size. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

INDIAN CHIEF. 36 in. Coppery red. This is one of the tallest Tulips in cultivation. A sure prize-winner. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

LOUIS XIV. 30 in. Dark purple edged golden bronze. Its rich blend of purple and gold is truly royal. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

MOROCCO BEAUTY. 26 in. Clear morocco-red; inside dark reddish mahogany with yellowish base streaked olive. Big flowers on tall, erect stems. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

ORANGE DELIGHT. A remarkable flower of enormous size. Light orange with a bronze over-cast. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

TANTALUS. 32 in. Light cadmium-yellow with violet shades. Very large and tall. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

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PLANT TULIPS
IN GROUPS
OF ONE COLOR
RATHER
THAN IN ROWS

LOUIS XIV.
\$1.50 per doz.,
\$10.00 per 100.

INDIAN CHIEF.
\$1.80 per doz.,
\$12.00 per 100.

New Multi-flowering Tulip—ROSE MIST

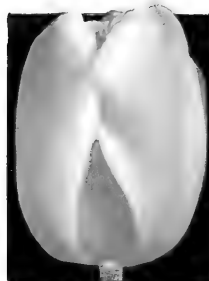
A lovely pink with five to six flowers
open on a stem at the same time.
Grows 26 inches high. Unusual.

\$1.50 per doz.
\$10.00 per 100





MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS
\$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100



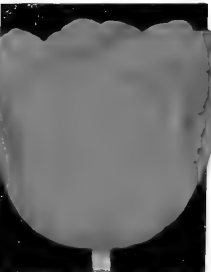
CLARA BUTT
\$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100



ADMIRAL TROMP
\$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100



CLACIER
\$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100



ECLIPSE
\$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100

Darwin Tulips Bloom in May

The typical features of Darwin Tulips are the tall, upright stems and the large, cup-shaped flowers. They have a wider range of color than the Cottages and Breeders, from white to almost black.

ADMIRAL TROMP. 32 in. Orange flushed salmon. This is new and far surpasses Afterglow, which is the same color. The large flower and strong stem make it definitely outstanding. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

CLARA BUTT. 24 in. An old favorite salmon-rose, which still retains its popularity. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

DELPHI. 38 in. Bluish violet. Very large and beautiful. \$1.45 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

DUKE OF WELLINGTON. 26 in. Outstanding pure white flower of perfect form, with cream anthers and base. Flowers are carried on a stiff stem and are of lasting quality. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

ECLIPSE. 30 in. A huge maroon-red variety. Very strong stem. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

FIREDANCER. 29 in. New. Very large, brilliant vermilion-scarlet with a satiny sheen. A distinct color that is sure to attract attention in the garden and when cut. \$2.25 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

GALLANT LADY. The most beautiful rose-colored Tulip in existence. An unusual, large, oval flower of tremendous substance; wiry stem. It is the most distinct rose Darwin today. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

GENERAL DE LA REY. 29 in. Most pleasing shade of soft old-rose with ball overtones. Flowers are large, with broad, pointed petals of good lasting qualities. A new variety with this year. \$2.25 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

GLACIER. 28 in. Pure white with ivory stamens. Good keeping qualities. Does not open as wide as most Tulips do when placed in a warm room. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

GOLDEN HARVEST. 28 in. Large, light golden yellow. Excellent for forcing. This is the largest yellow Tulip that we offer and perhaps the largest of all yet developed. \$1.10 per doz., \$7.50 per 100.

GOLDEN MEASURE. 28 in. Inside golden yellow, outside somewhat lighter. Egg-shaped flower. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

INSURPASSABLE. 30 in. Very large, lilac-lavender. A well-named variety. Good for forcing. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

MOUNT EREBUS. 30 in. Huge, pure white flowers with yellow anthers. One of the best whites. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

NIPHETOS. 28 in. Long lemon-yellow bloom on a strong stem. Most outstanding. Very good keeper. \$1.60 per doz., \$11.00 per 100.

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McARDLE'S BRUCE PARK TULIP COLLECTION

Tulips offered in this collection are the same varieties that were grown at Bruce Park last spring.

Six different colors, each variety labeled.

- 15 Duke of Wellington. White.
- 15 Mrs. John T. Scheepers. Pale yellow.
- 15 Blue Parrot

90 BULBS
\$8.95

(\$11.00 value)

NEW PEONY-FLOWERED TULIPS

Late Tulips with gigantic double blooms borne on very strong stems. Very effective in group plantings of 7 or 9 bulbs. You cannot really appreciate the bold and brilliant beauty of these Tulips until you see them. They actually have flowers as big as peonies. At Bruce Park this past spring they were the hit of the show. Bloom in May.

25 bulbs sold at the 100 rate

CLARA CARDER. 20 in. Rose-pink flushed silvery white. \$2.25 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100.

LILAC STAR. 15 in. Silvery lilac with creamy white base and yellow anthers. Fully double, well-formed flowers. \$2.25 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

MOUNT TACOMA. 20 in. Pure white. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

NIZZA. 20 in. Soft yellow flaked with bright red. \$2.25 per doz., \$14.00 per 100.

ROYAL YELLOW. 22 in. Clear golden yellow. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

SYMPHONY. 22 in. The best of them all. A rich raspberry-red. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

BOTANICAL TULIPS

For Borders and Rock Gardens

These distinctive Tulips bloom throughout the month of April.

CLUSIANA. 8 in. The Candlestick Tulip. This blooms after Eichleri and before Kaufmanniana. Pink and white, resembling a peppermint stick. Since Clusiana bulbs have a hard outer skin, we recommend that they be soaked in water overnight before planting. Plant the bulbs 6 to 7 inches deep. See illustration on page 5. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

EICHLERI. 12 in. Large crimson flowers marked gold, with a black center. See illustration on page 5. \$1.00 per doz., \$7.00 per 100.

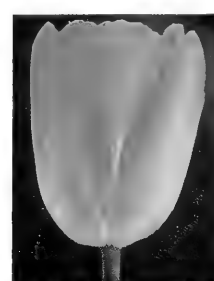
FOSTERIANA, RED EMPEROR. 18 in. Glowing scarlet-red. The first to bloom and the most outstanding of them all. See illustration on page 15. \$1.95 per doz., \$14.00 per 100.

KAUFMANNIANA. 8 in. The Wonder Tulip. White and pink striped. The last to bloom. See illustration on page 5. \$2.25 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

PLANT TULIPS THIS FALL FOR BEAUTIFUL BLOOMS NEXT SPRING



PICOTEE
\$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100



GLORY OF HOLLAND
\$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100



MRS. MOON
\$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100

DARWIN TULIPS, continued

PRIDE OF HAARLEM. 30 in. Cerise-scarlet. An old favorite that never loses its appeal. Immense flowers. \$1.30 per doz., \$8.40 per 100.

PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG. 38 in. Bright rose with lighter edge. Strong stem. Very good for exhibition purposes. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH MAXIMUS. 24 in. Clear rose-pink. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

PURPLE PERFECTION. 28 in. Large, violet-purple flowers. Very good keeping qualities. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

QUEEN OF THE NIGHT. 34 in. The newest and best black Darwin. Supersedes the old, well-known variety La Tulipe Noire. \$1.30 per doz., \$8.40 per 100.

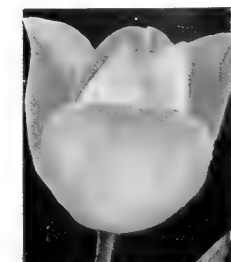
RED MASTER. 34 in. A large, impressive, dark red Tulip described as a darker Pride of Haarlem. We consider this the best dark red Tulip. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

SMILING QUEEN. 28 in. New. This is the finest pure rose-pink Darwin to date. Outstanding in every respect. \$2.25 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

THE BISHOP. 28 in. Clear deep violet-blue. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

ZWANENBURG. 28 in. Pure white with black anthers. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

McARDLE'S HOLLAND DARWIN TULIP MIXTURE. A mixture of selected, stately Darwins in a wide color range, blended to give the utmost in color whether massed in beds or planted in scattered groups. Wonderful for the cutting garden. 95c per doz., \$6.95 per 100.



MARJORIE BOWEN
\$1.30 per doz., \$8.40 per 100



QUEEN OF THE NIGHT
\$1.30 per doz., \$8.40 per 100

Lily-Flowered Tulips

Bloom at the same time as the Cottage Tulips. Their distinct lily-like flowers make them ideal for cutting, and because of their graceful habit of growth they are most effective when planted in groups in the border.

MARCELLINA. 24 in. Delicate cerise-pink with pure white base and yellow anthers. A very graceful Tulip. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

MARTHA. 24 in. Cerise-red, shading lighter toward the margin; rose inside with white base edged blue. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

MRS. MOON. 26 in. The most popular variety in this class. Pale yellow flower with a nice fragrance. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

PICOTEE. 22 in. A dainty white lily-flowered Tulip with an edging of pink. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

WHITE TRIUMPHATOR. 20 in. Glistening white flowers of distinct shape. Inner petals stand erect while outer ones gracefully recurve. Distinctively different. \$2.25 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

McARDLE'S Parrot Tulips

Artistic, quaintly shaped flowers with petals serrated and slashed at the edges. Very large and showy. They bloom with the Darwins and other late varieties.

BLACK PARROT. 28 in. Rarest and most exotic of the Parrots. Immense, purplish black blooms. 3 for \$1.00, 10 for \$2.95.

BLUE PARROT. 30 in. Very showy, fringed blue. Excellent for arrangements. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

FANTASY. 27 in. Salmon-rose feathered green. The original Parrot that was a sport of the old favorite Clara Butt. When first introduced these bulbs sold for \$5.00 each. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

FIREBIRD. 27 in. Extremely large flowers of brilliant red. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

IVORY WHITE. 18 in. New. This is the first white Parrot Tulip available. Expensive, but good. \$1.25 each, \$12.00 per doz.

ORANGE FAVORITE. 24 in. Shaggy, glowing orange flowers. Strong stems. \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

PITT'S PARROT. 18 in. Another new Parrot variety. Very large, crimson-red flowers lightly flushed carmine. White base with a faint blue star. \$3.00 per doz., \$22.00 per 100.

SUNSHINE. 16 in. A clear golden yellow, with deeply lacinated petals. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

TEXAS GOLD. 15 in. Clear, bright yellow flowers with a narrow red edge. Beautiful, heavily lacinated, enormous flowers on strong stems. \$2.25 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

Single Early Tulips

(TOP-SIZE BULBS)

All Single Early Tulips bloom two weeks ahead of the Darwins. They also have a longer blooming period than later-flowering Tulips, due to the fact that the weather is cooler earlier in the season.

COULEUR CARDINAL. 15 in. Pure red. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

GENERAL DE WET. 15 in. Sweet-scented orange. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

GOLDEN MASCOT. 15 in. Clear golden yellow. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

KEIZERSKROON. 15 in. Red with broad yellow border. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

PINK BEAUTY. 15 in. Rose color with white flush. \$1.85 per doz., \$12.50 per 100.

WHITE HAWK. 15 in. Pure white. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

MIXED. 15 in. All colors. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

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40 Parrot Tulips **\$3.95** (\$4.75 value)

5 different colors, each variety labeled.

8 Blue Parrot	8 Sunshine	8 Orange
8 Fantasy	8 Firebird	Favorite



BLUE PARROT.
\$1.25 per doz.,
\$8.00 per 100

FANTASY.
\$1.25 per doz.,
\$8.00 per 100



NEW PEONY-FLOWERED TULIP
MOUNT TACOMA
\$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

Double Early Tulips

BLOOM IN APRIL. TOP-SIZE BULBS

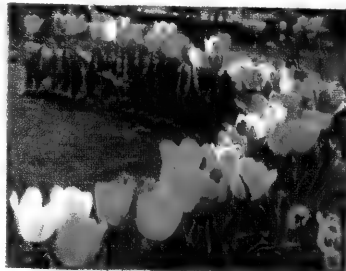
Two weeks ahead of the Darwins. Excellent for border and rock garden. Good for forcing indoors. Grow 12 inches high.

DANTE. Red. \$2.00 per doz., \$14.00 per 100.
MR. VAN DER HOEF. Golden yellow. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

ORANGE NASSAU. Orange. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

PEACH BLOSSOM. Pink. \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

SNOWBALL. White. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.



McARDLE'S DARWIN TULIPS,
MIXED COLORS
95c per doz., \$6.95 per 100

Winter-Flowering Bulbs for Greenhouse and Indoors



AMARYLLIS

Plant one bulb in a 6-inch pot, allowing about one-fourth of the bulb to protrude above the soil level. Keep in a cool dark place for about four weeks; then bring to a sunny window. Water in proportion to the amount of growth.

Hybrid Amaryllis. Shades of red. 90¢ each, \$10.00 per doz.

Pure White. \$3.50 each.



CROFT EASTER LILIES

GREENHOUSE EASTER LILY

CROFT. In November start one bulb per 6-inch pot in a good potting soil. Will bloom in late March or April, producing 8 to 10 blooms. Grows 2½ feet tall. \$1.25 each, \$12.00 per doz.



PAPER-WHITE NARCISSUS

Jumbo bulbs, \$1.75 per doz.,
\$12.00 per 100



CLIVIA

These are fully developed plants with foliage 2 feet tall or more. In late January or February the flower buds rise from the center of the plant and develop into a giant cluster of flowers of an orange-red shade. \$3.95 each, 3 for \$9.95.



GLOXINIA

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November Delivery

Plants available in 2½-inch pots. Transplanted to a 5-inch pot, they will bloom in 12 weeks. A perfect pot plant that is beautiful and different. Mixed colors only. 3 for \$1.95, \$6.50 per doz.

DAFFODILS - NARCISSUS — *The Sure Sign of Spring*

GIANT TRUMPET DAFFODILS

BEERSHEBA. Its pure white color and large size make it outstanding. Makes a nice contrast with yellow Daffodils in an arrangement. Very graceful. \$2.75 per doz., \$18.00 per 100.

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KING ALFRED. The most popular pure yellow Daffodil. Frilled trumpet.

Giant Jumbo bulbs especially adapted for forcing, for exhibition purposes, and for showy locations outside. \$2.50 per doz., \$16.50 per 100.

Bedding Size for massive planting of all yellow blooms. \$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.

MOUNT HOOD. Much overlapping, pure white perianth with large, creamy white trumpet, changing to pure white when in full bloom. One of the most beautiful of the pure whites. \$3.00 per doz., \$22.00 per 100.

MRS. E. H. KRELAGE. White trumpet and cream-colored perianth. \$2.25 per doz., \$14.00 per 100.

MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE. A novelty variety because of its unusual color. Pure white perianth with trumpet tinted pink. \$2.75 per doz., \$18.00 per 100.

PINK FANCY. Well-formed flower with large, broad, soft pink trumpet. Free flowering. Lovely planted in groups in the border and excellent for cutting. \$2.75 per doz., \$20.00 per 100.

SIR HENRY DETERDING. A new bicolor variety and by far the best yet of its type. Deep yellow trumpet with white perianth. \$2.50 per doz., \$16.00 per 100.

MEDIUM TRUMPET DAFFODILS OR LARGE- CUPPED VARIETIES

DAISY SCHAEFFER. Giant white flower with large lemon-yellow cup. New and different. \$2.50 per doz., \$16.00 per 100.

DICK WELLBAND. New and rare variety. Lovely large, pure white with brilliant scarlet cup, producing a beautiful contrast in color. \$2.00 per doz., \$13.00 per 100.

FORTUNE. Large, pure yellow perianth; orange-scarlet trumpet. \$2.50 per doz., \$16.00 per 100.

JOHN EVELYN. Large white perianth with open yellow frilled cup. \$2.00 per doz., \$13.00 per 100.

LADY KESTIVEN. (Novelty.) An extremely choice exhibition variety. Pure white with large, intensely red cup. \$3.00 per doz., \$20.00 per 100.

PRINCESS BEATRIX. (Novelty.) A rare new Daffodil of fine substance and form. Never before have we seen anything quite like it. The perianth is perfect and so is the cup. Perianth is pure white, with a well-proportioned, frilled cup, which is orange-scarlet toward the edges. \$3.00 per doz., \$20.00 per 100.

← **KING ALFRED DAFFODILS.** Bedding Size.
\$1.35 per doz., \$9.00 per 100.



BEERSHEBA. \$2.75 per doz., \$18.00 per 100.

SCARLET ELEGANCE. Golden yellow with deep orange cup. Very striking contrast. \$1.80 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

SCARLET LEADER. Perfectly flat and broad perianth of creamy white color; large, flat, deep red crown. A beautiful show variety. Really outstanding. \$2.50 per doz., \$16.00 per 100.

TUNIS. An early-season bloomer with broad white perianth enhanced by a bold ivory trumpet. \$2.50 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

SHORT-CUPPED NARCISSUS

FIRETAIL. White perianth with large, flat, red cup. Unusual. \$1.75 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

DOUBLE DAFFODILS

CHEERFULNESS. Double-clustered, fragrant white flowers. \$1.75 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

INDIAN CHIEF. Large, well-filled flower of beautiful yellow, with pronounced orange-red inner petals. Tall and strong. \$2.50 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

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Plant Groups of One Color FOR A MORE EFFECTIVE DISPLAY

POETAZ (Clustered Narcissus)

GERANIUM. Large, pure white flowers in clusters; orange-red cup. Free flowering on strong, long stems. One of our favorites. \$2.00 per doz., \$13.00 per 100.

POETICUS NARCISSUS

ACTAEA. The Poet's Narcissus. An old favorite. Single white flower with red eye. The largest-flowered Poeticus. \$1.75 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

MINIATURE DAFFODILS

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A natural blended mixture for wooded areas, meadows, slopes, under trees, and for rough grassy situations. They multiply very rapidly and grow best with a southern exposure. See illustration on back cover. 25 for \$1.85, \$7.00 per 100, \$65.00 per 1000.



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PINK FANCY. A new pink Daffodil. \$2.75 per doz., \$20.00 per 100.



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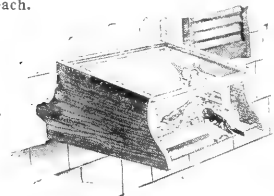
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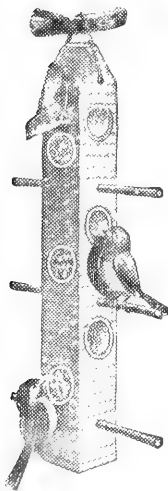
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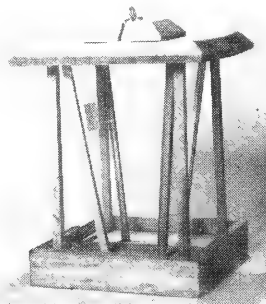
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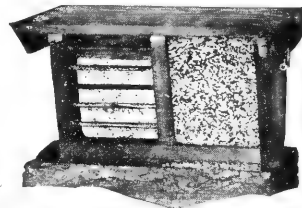
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Bishop. 45c each, \$5.10 per doz.
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Four sides glass, 12 1/2 x 8 1/2 x 8 1/2 in., capacity 3 lbs. seed, eye-hook for hanging. \$4.49 each.



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This combination feeder with glass-enclosed seed container and a wooden suet rack attracts both suet and seed-eating birds. \$4.75 each.

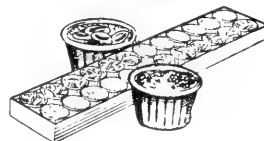


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Designed for easy filling; food is protected at all times. It's just the feeder to have if you are looking for hungry birds. No. 758. \$4.95 each.

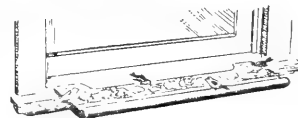
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Adco. Used in making artificial manure. Gives quick results by turning leaves, grass clippings and other garden debris into rich humus. Adco is a highly nitrogenous compound which feeds the decomposing bacteria, thereby causing them to multiply by the million. This results in a quicker decomposition of your compost. You save time and money when you use Adco. 5 lbs. \$1.50, 25 lbs. \$3.50, 150 lbs. \$18.50.



Limestone, Pulverized. Cannot burn; slower acting than hydrated lime, safer to use. Use about 100 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. 50 lbs. 85c, 100 lbs. \$1.50, 500 lbs. \$7.00, 1/2 ton \$12.00, ton \$20.00.

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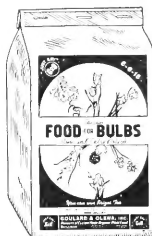


Bonemeal (Steamed). A top-notch, slow-acting fertilizer to improve garden soils and lawns. Use 5 lbs. per 100 sq. ft. Safe to use, as it will not burn. 5 lbs. 75c, 10 lbs. \$1.30, 25 lbs. \$2.50, 50 lbs. \$4.00, 100 lbs. \$7.50, 500 lbs. \$36.00, 1000 lbs. \$70.00.

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